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SIR:

Responsive to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, dated April 25, 2006, submitted below is a new amendment to the claims section.